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APPOINTMENT OF COMPASSIONATE GROUND IN ORDNANCE FACTORIES
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) the year-wise number of applicants seeking appointment on compassionate ground in ordnance factories in the country;

(b) the year-wise percentage of applicants out of these whom appointment has been given on compassionate ground;

(c) whether the Government proposes to simplify the rules for appointment on compassionate ground so that the maximum number of dependents of the employees of ordnance factories dying in harness may get the benefit of appointment; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR DEFENCE PRODUCTION (RAO INDERJEET SINGH)

(a) & (b): The year-wise number of applicants seeking appointment on compassionate ground in ordnance factories and the percentage of applicants year-wise to whom appointment has been given is as under:

Year	No. of applications received during the relevant year (1st January to the year as 31st December)	No. of pending applications from previous year(s) considered in the year per DOP&T instructions	Total No. of applicants considered (Col 2 & 3) during the year	No. of applicants to whom appointment has been given on compassionate grounds during the year	Percentage of the applicants given appointment
2003	856	254	1110	136	12.25
2004	1018	751	1769	220	12.43
2005	688	1344	2032	297	14.61
2006	675	1319	1994	232	11.63

(c) & (d): Compassionate appointment is provided to dependents of Government servants upto a maximum of 5% of vacancies falling under direct recruitment quota in any Group 'C' & 'D' posts as per norms laid down in the Scheme of Compassionate Appointment issued vide DOP&T O.M. No.14014/6/94-Estt(D), dated 9.10.1998 as amended from time to time.